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Transmission Structures

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by 3 months pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

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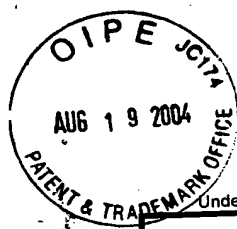
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
		1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee
		1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee
		1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee
		1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee
		1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee

SUBTOTAL (1)

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20** =	x	=
Indep. Claims	-3** =	x	=
Multiple Dependent			=

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		1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
		1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
		1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
		1204	86	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
		1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
		1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
		1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
		1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification
		1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
		1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examination action
		1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
		1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month
		1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month
		1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month
		1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month
		1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month
		1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal
		1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
		1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing
		1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
		1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable
		1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional
		1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
		1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee
		1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee
		1406	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
		1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
		1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
		8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
		1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
		1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))
		1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
		1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application

Other fee (specify)

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)

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